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SUBJECT: IRANIAN INTEREST IN SOVIET SAMS

REF: TEHRAN 1785

IN CONVERSATION WITH MISSION OFFICER GENERAL TOUFANIAN, VICE
MINISTER OF WAR FOR ARMAMENTS SAID THAT DURING HIS FEBRUARY
TRIP TO USSR HE HAD REQUESTED THAT SOVIETS SELL IRAN SAM 4,
6 AND 7S. SOVIETS REFUSED. CONSEQUENTLY, TOUFANIAN SAID
IRAN WOULD RELY ON US FOR COMPARABLE AIR DEFENSE EQUIPMENT.
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